

REMARKS

Applicants gratefully acknowledge receipt of the Notice of Allowance dated June 27, 2008, allowing claims 1, 2, 4-8, 10 and 11.

This paper is filed under 37 CFR 1.312 to amend claim 6 in order to replace the word "said" with "a", and to amend the Title, Summary and Abstract to match the remaining claims. Applicants respectfully urge that the amendment of Title, Summary and Abstract to match the remaining claims, and amendment of claim 6 to correct an informality under 1.312 is specifically foreseen by MPEP 714.16, which states in significant part that the Examiner "has authority to enter amendments submitted after Notice of Allowance of an application which embody merely the *correction of formal matters in the specification* or drawing, or *formal matters in a claim without changing the scope thereof*, or the cancellation of claims from the application, without forwarding to the supervisory patent examiner for approval" (emphasis added). Because the amendments presented herein include only corrections of formal matters, the Examiner is authorized under MPEP 714.16 to make the amendments presented herein.

No new matter is added by these amendments.

Applicants respectfully request that these amendments be entered in accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.312 under the Examiner's authority as specified in MPEP 714.16.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge or credit Deposit Account No. 122158 for any fees required or overpaid.

Should there be issues requiring adverse action, it is respectfully requested that the Examiner telephone the undersigned Applicants' Attorney at 617-630-1131 so that such issues may be resolved as expeditiously as possible.

Respectfully Submitted,

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